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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

DANIEL BENIGNI, ET. AL..

APPLICATION NO: 10/805,724

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FOR: METHODS FOR THE PREPARATION, ISOLATION AND

PURIFICATION OF EPOTHILONE B, AND X-RAY CRYSTAL

STRUCTURES OF EPOTHILONE B

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Substitute Declaration

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit a Substitute Declaration for the above application. In compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 the newly signed declaration has been signed by all inventors.

The substitute declaration in the present divisional application is being submitted to provide a single declaration to replace the following declarations:

- a) the declaration filed in the parent application 10/668,032, in which nine persons were deleted from the list of inventors and with Daniel Benigni remaining as a common inventor in the parent application and the present divisional application; and
- b) the declaration filed in the present divisional application in which Jack Gougoutas and John DiMarco were added as new inventors.

Applicants believe no fee is due. If this is incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

Respectfully submitted,

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